

### WARNS CANADA AGAINST TRADE BY GOVERNMENT

Ernest Lapointe, Quebec Liberal Leader, Declares Gov'ts Make Poor Traders. PLEADS FOR UNITY OF RACE AND CREEDS Predicts Canada Will Make Rapid Return to Normal Trade Conditions.

(Continued From Page 1) He pleaded for unity between province and province and race and race in Canada. No society, he urged, could be successful if its members did not co-operate. Canada was a hard country to govern and only because it has been the will of Providence that it was to be developed by a people of different races and creeds. There was need for a display of good will, tolerance and charity. He was himself a lover of the province of Quebec, from whose hardy settlers he had sprung, but his love for this country, knew no provincial boundary. They must have a spirit of patriotism endearing the provinces to each other, and unless this was in evidence there could be no genuine Canadian nation.

Leave Racial Lines Alone. Of course, while political parties existed there would be struggles, but they might be less unfair and unjust. But no more pernicious fallacy existed than the dream of building up a country monotonously uniform, with the same customs, habits and enjoyments or lack of enjoyments. It was true, as Gladstone had once remarked about the Welsh, that to destroy racial characteristics in a nation was as unwise as to destroy philosophy and one of the worst political blunders. Quebec was a great asset in the dominion. Like the St. Lawrence river, its surface might occasionally be ruffled, but it always kept on in the same channel towards truth and justice.

Insurance Question. Discussing the insurance committee's report, W. H. Shawley, Toronto, said that with premiums amounting to \$44,776,032 in 1920, and fire losses of \$24,720,580, it seemed insurance was a pretty profitable business. He was strongly of the opinion that insurance was costing too much and more heavy on smaller manufacturers. They should combine to reduce the enormous fire losses, which were greater in Canada than in any other country, and were nothing less than a crime. Mr. Parsons said allowance should be made for the cost of doing business of insurance companies. The cost amounted to 32 per cent. of the premium and not more than six per cent. profit was made. Whether the companies' method of doing business was extravagant was another matter.


Too Many Agents. W. S. Fisher, St. John, said there were too many insurance agents. When the legislative committee report was debated, J. R. Shaw, Woodstock, Ont., said such amateurish and non-sensical legislation was being passed by several governments that business was afflicted and they would be better without it. He contended that workmen should contribute to the compensation funds because when they did so they would see that they were properly administered.

J. P. M. Stewart, Toronto, resumed criticism but he pointed out that the country on the Canadian government merchant marine while the transportation committee's report was under review. He pointed out that 150 vessels belonging to the United States emergency fleet were laid up, all the ships of the C. G. M. M. were in operation. Even if they were losing a little money they were doing a great service for the whole country. J. G. Thompson, Vancouver, and J. Lewis, of St. John, endorsed Mr. Stewart's remarks. J. H. Sheppard, Montreal, recommended a resolution be passed urging the government to make provision for farmers to get cattle now excluded from the U. S. by that country's emergency tariff, to the seaboard for export. The chairman, Mr. McKinnon, of Toronto, proposed the resolution committee would attend to this.

MORE IRISH OBJECT London, June 8—More Irish farming evidence was given today before the cattle embargo commission all of which opposed the removal of the embargo.

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### Splendid Workers In Grand Manan

Ladies Organized for Red Cross Membership Campaign. Splendid workers in Grand Manan and Campobello have organized for the Red Cross membership campaign. John Goding, who has been through the territory, states that the following ladies are organizing: At Seal Cove—Mrs. Simson, Daggett, Mrs. Colla Harvey, Mrs. Ingersoll. Grand Harbor and Woodward's Cove—Miss Carrie Russell, Mrs. Treccaria. North Head and Castalia—Mrs. J. E. Gaskill, Mrs. Jack Macaulay.

At Campobello Wilson's Beach—Mrs. J. J. Alexander. Welch Pool—Miss Watson. The organizing centre for the campaign is Campobello in Wilson's Beach, where it is directed by Mrs. Mark Newman, president, and Mrs. Attwood Savage, secretary. Deer Island is planning to take up the campaign work under the direction of Mrs. Thomas Trocartin, of Lord's Cove.

### Sticks to Story Of Auto Bandits

London Hired Man Insists He was Tied Up and Robbed of Cash. London, Ont., June 8—Geo. Lewis, a farm hand employee of George Belcher, of 1063 Oxford street, and held determinedly, in the face of police doubts, to his explanation of the manner in which he was bound and placed in a wood box in the kitchen of the Belcher home Saturday. Lewis when found by his employers, claimed that auto bandits had come to the place, robbed him of \$30 and left him tied in the wood box. Detective Inspector Nickle investigated the case, but could find no trace of either auto or bandits having been there. Mr. Belcher also reported the loss of \$30 by theft.

### Hopewell Hill Man Is Injured

Hopewell Hill, June 8—W. C. Cross and Mrs. Cross, H. G. Marr and Mrs. Marr, of St. John came by auto, and touring through Albert county Messrs. Cross and Marr calling on their many patrons. While the Hillabrows they were the guests of J. E. P. Wood, Richard Butland, of Germantown, who was operated on for appendicitis is recovering. Miss Alada Crocker of Albert, was operated on Sunday at noon, having a serious case of appendicitis. Miss Margaret Wood, youngest daughter of E. C. Wood, postmaster, Albert, was given a variety shower at the home of F. C. Prescott and Mrs. Prescott by her girl friends.

### MONCTON ENGINEER ELECTED

Quebec, June 8—At the annual convention of the Canadian Society of Engineers held here because some minor changes were made in the by-laws of the association and officers elected, including President, T. Letourneau, provincial president, New Brunswick, G. S. Dorman, Moncton; Nova Scotia, N. G. Ragen, Halifax; Prince Edward Island, J. P. Monaghan, Charlottetown. Tonight some delegates were the guests of the wholesalers and manufacturers at a dinner at Kent House.

### STATE TROOPS CALLED OUT

Barboursville, Ky., June 7—State troops were called out last night to stop a threatened outbreak following an affair yesterday in which Wm. Lee, of Upper Knox County, was shot and killed by Bart Reid, former army officer. Lee is said to have threatened Reid because of statements the latter is alleged to have made in connection with indictments returned against him, his brother, charged with shooting Joseph Faulkner last week. It was feared that Lee's friends might try to avenge the killing.

### CALLIAUX COMING BACK

Paris, June 8—The re-entry of former Premier Joseph Calliaux into political life is foreshadowed by an announcement in the Paris Soir today that he is founding a newspaper under the name of Volonte. The new paper will probably be directed by Calliaux from his home in the country, as under the terms of his recent release from prison he is not permitted to reside in Paris.

### HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Sydney, N. S., June 8—George C. Thorne, 35, was arrested tonight by the city police on a charge of criminal assault, preferred by 17-year-old, twenty-year-old telegraph messenger girl.

### Methodist District Meetings Closed

Two Days' Sessions Concluded Yesterday Afternoon—Reports Received. Sessions were continued in Centenary church yesterday morning by Methodist ministers and lay delegates. The meeting continued to hear and to examine the reports from the several churches within the district, Mason S. Linton, Chester N. Brown and Harry Baxter were unanimously recommended for a continuation of their college courses. Investigation of the insurance on the various properties was made, and in one or two cases where the amount was deemed insufficient, responsible trustees were urged to increase the same.

The following lay delegates were elected to attend the annual conference in Sackville: J. B. Arthur, C. A. Henderson, H. A. McKern, Alfred Barley, Elmer Thompson, R. Duncan Smith, Walter Brindle, J. King Kelley, G. P. Cosman, R. A. Corbett, R. T. Hayes, O. D. Hanson, R. H. Machum, P. S. Purdy, Mrs. S. Bailey, B. C. Holder, Alfred Kirkpatrick, all of the city; C. N. Green, Brookville; H. W. Fulkner, J. S. Rock, Sussex; Mrs. Oty Manning, Newtown; Harley S. Jones, Apohaqui; A. Kierstead, Sinder Mountain; S. K. Phillips, Callity's Lake; Mrs. G. L. Hampton; Harry Cochrane, Bloomfield; George McKinnay, Summer Hill. Substitutes were also elected as follows: J. W. Caswell, Jean Allison, C. T. Jones, Hilda MacKinnon, Agaveine, R. L. Holder and Herbert Abbott.

A recommendation was sent forward to conference that a man be sent to take charge of the work at Newtown. Rev. S. Thomas was elected representative on the stationing committee and Rev. Thomas Marshall alternate.

### Sunday School Report

Rev. J. M. Rice read the Sunday School report which showed: Total membership, 4402. For local and general school work: Total membership, \$4,850.40. Total by Sunday Schools, \$730.26. An increase of \$730.26. Contributions for Missions were reported as \$12,387.72. An increase of \$12,387.72. The grand total of monies raised in the district is \$110,000.00. An increase of \$14,000.00. The district accepts the invitation to meet next year in the Portland Church.

### Cases Heard In The Police Court

Resisting and Assault Case Drew Large Audience—Evidence in Liquor Case. Sub-Liquor Inspectors Journey Henderson and Thompson were called as witnesses in the case of Harry Wetmore, charged with selling liquor, when it was resumed in the police court yesterday.

### Inspectors Testify

The inspectors stated that in consequence of complaints they searched the Wetmore house at 46 Mill street some six weeks ago. They met Wetmore on the street and he accompanied them home. The house was locked, and it was not until fifteen minutes had passed that they were admitted. They filled with water and broken glass a conviction had been secured against the accused in the past. Henderson said that strangers coming to the house by the rear door seemed to give a peep into the bell, which sounded to him like a signal. Inspector Thompson said he was standing in the house when a bottle of water and broken glass was thrown at the window which fell on the pavement a few feet from where he was standing. It smelt of gin.

### Assault Charge

The case of Fred Hayes, charged with resisting arrest and assaulting End ball grounds Lindsay at the East end ball grounds drew a record crowd to the police court in the morning. E. J. Hennoberry was retained in the case. Police Officer Lindsay took the stand and stated he saw Hayes climb over the fence, and in accordance with the request of the committee in charge, who had secured his attendance in order to prevent such practices, ordered him to get out and come through the gate. He said Hayes refused and that when the witness put his hands on the defendant for the purpose of putting him out, the defendant wheeled around, tripped him and threw him to the ground and afterwards struck him on the face. Policeman Goughlin then came to his assistance and between them they arrested the defendant and took him to the police station in the police patrol. Police Officer Goughlin in his evidence stated that he saw Lindsay in the affair at a distance. He heard Lindsay make some remarks about "bums" but did not know to whom he was referring. The case was adjourned at the request of Officer Lindsay to Friday afternoon at 2:30 so that the evidence of Deskman Thomas might be heard.

### Improving.

"How is Dubuiste's game of golf these days?" "He's improving." "Makes a better score?" "No, but he has an easier flow of language when he loses a ball."

### MARRIED.

GAULT-HARDING—At Germain street Baptist church, on June 7th, 1921, by the Rev. S. S. Poole, Kenneth P. Gault, of Olive, Beatrice Harding, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Harding.

### TOY BALLOON, BOY, MATCH, BOMB SCARE

Youngster Four Years Old Touches Match to Toy Gas Bag. LOUD EXPLOSION IS THE RESULT Fire Follows and Much Excitement Reigns—Child is Badly Burned.

New York, June 8—Charles Labelia, 4, by a simple experiment in chemistry, and with no greater aim in view than giving himself a new and amusing sensation, started a bomb scare in his block last night which brought everybody rushing to the street in panic. The house in which Charles lives and where he performed the experiment is at 321 East Forty-sixth street, in the heart of an Italian district. His neighbors are excited, and Charles himself is unable to enjoy the thrill of being for the time the centre of attraction.

Touched Match to Balloon. All that Charles did was to touch a lighted match to a toy gas balloon. It was not that he desired to destroy the balloon. It was a pretty green thing and he looked about comically every time Charles puffed it. But having found a match, and having the balloon string tied about his waist, he lit the match, and the gas and the two together, and dived into the realm of chemistry.

Scared Everybody. The explosion, according to the neighbors, boomed out of the open windows in a momentary stillness like high explosive. Children in the streets ran for their homes, and were nearly knocked down by the parents running out. The crowd that gathered sent calls for the police, firemen and ambulances, and wondered why the house where Charles lived did not fall. Some went in to find out. Mrs. Samuel Labelia, Charles's mother, was busy, with Sabatino Paglano, a top floor tenant, who had rushed down, beating out the flames that had caught Charles' clothing and set the apartment afire.

Their efforts were successful, and when the firemen arrived nothing was left to be done. But the excitement lasted long after Charles had been taken to Bellevue Hospital, where doctors said that his injuries were grave, and he might have a hard battle for life.

### DIED.

PUGLISI—At Robeson Kings County, on the 7th inst. of pneumonia, Daniel A. Puglisi in his 72nd year, leaving his wife, also a brother and sister.

JOHNSTON—June 9th, at 46 Crown street, Malcolm Gordon Johnston, aged 13 years, son of late Robert L. Johnston. Notice of funeral later.

### Council of Women's Milk Fund Committee

Members With Superintendent Discussed Work to be Undertaken This Summer. Mrs. Richard J. Hooper was the convener of the Local Council of Women's Milk Fund Committee which assembled at the Victorian Nurses' Home on Carlton street yesterday afternoon to discuss with the new local superintendent of the order, Miss Coates, the work to be undertaken this Summer. It was the first meeting the committee has had with Miss Coates who has taken over this work, organized by the former superintendent, Miss Hazlam, last April.

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### Trousseau For This Year

There has been a remarkable change in the attitude of bride toward their trousseau costumes. The bride of a generation ago could not have her clothes mature enough. Youthful trills and furrow brows were cast aside in her forward gaze toward the dignity of matrimony. Maybe she went back to some of the frills and furrow brows in her new wedding ring, so she had all the trains she could in her trousseau; and the costumes had to live up to the modern bride cannot have her clothes young enough, even her wedding gown—though of course it boasts the traditional train—is no longer in the skirt than a flapper's frock. Her hats are youthful and her little summer dresses are quite suitable for sweet girls. The present generation of girlhood has learned one thing: To value exactly the worth of her youthfulness. And when she enters the estate of matrimony, she emphasizes this quality more than ever. Well, she knows this canny modern maid, that she has 20 years of youth ahead of her—if she starts right and keeps up her standard—where her mother retired to middle age at 35 or even at 30 and her grandmother considered donning the caps of old ladyhood at 40.

### Wedding Gowns.

A wedding costume recently shown is stately enough for anybody's requirements—all except its length. But that is really long wedding gown, would look quaint rather than correct; and, of course, the flowing train and the veil add sufficient dignity and staidness for the occasion. Another very beautiful wedding costume is like most of the June bridal costumes, it shows a deal of flimsy lace. The heavy satin train has been quite done away with and instead there is a train of net lace edged with a narrow strip of the lace veil. The foundation of the gown is of bridal satin in the favorite ivory white tint and there is a haughty bodice of satin draped over an underbodice of crystal embroidered net like lace in the tunic. Sleeves have been eliminated from the wedding gowns, but as in the matter of the short skirt, so many frocks now have very short sleeves that the effect is perfectly in accord with late fashion decisions. Long white gloves are indispensable with the sleeveless frock and the third finger of the left hand has to be rippled open—just as it used to years ago—so that the bridegroom can put on the ring. Afterward the glove finger is re-sewed.

### Then He'd Change His Mind.

The illustrious traveller looked contemptuously at the mountaineer. "Nothing very steep about here," he said scornfully. "Make out his bill," said the landlady, turning to the clerk.

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### MALE TEACHERS AT FREDERICTON MUCH SURPRISED

Reported They Never Expected Trustees to Accept Their Offered Resignations. MUST APPLY AGAIN TO GET APPOINTMENTS Law Will Compel Them to Fulfil All the Duties of the School Year.

Special to The Standard Fredericton, N. B., June 8—Acceptance of the resignations of the male teachers at the Fredericton High School by the Board of School Trustees has created somewhat of a local sensation. At least one of the four teachers affected has told his friends that acceptance of their resignations was the last thing in the world the teachers expected, but a member of the board said today that unanimous confirmation of the action taken was not unexpected when the full board met.

Ready for Show Down. It was also pointed out today that acceptance of the resignations had cleared the decks for a complete "show down" between the board and the teachers. The schedule of the New Brunswick Teachers' Association for 1921 does not make it obligatory upon members to demand the maximum salaries for positions which they are holding, but says that the maximum salaries named are those which "experienced teachers who are filling their positions satisfactorily should be receiving from the trustees."

The action of the local teachers in tendering their resignations was therefore, voluntary, and it was said by one of the trustees today that the way they could get their positions back again, so far as he was concerned, would be to apply to the Brunswick Teachers' Association schedule names \$2,500 as the gross initial salary, including government grants, which would be the amount payable in the event new appointments being made.


What About Exams? Asked regarding the matter of examination of papers and grading at the Fredericton High School, the board members said this afternoon that the performance of certain duties as comprising their work for the school year was specified by law and those duties would have to be carried out as specified, in his opinion.

### ANTS ATTACK BUILDING.

Wichita, Kas., June 8—Hordes of ants, driving upward from the earth through mud tubes are threatening destruction to the one hundred thousand dollar exchange building at the stock yards here. Oaken lumber stored under building had been practically consumed and the ants have driven their work up along pipe lines to the woodwork of the west end of the structure which they have tunneled as far as the second floor.

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